



PATENT

Attorney Docket No.: CIT1270-1

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:

Lewis and Royea

Art Unit:

2813

Application No.:

09/905,157

Examiner:

E. Kielin

Filed:

July 12, 2001

Title:

ELECTRICAL PASSIVATION OF SILICON-CONTAINING

SURFACES USING ORGANIC LAYERS

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing in connection with the above-identified application, please find the following:

- 1. Response to the Office Action mailed October 15, 2002, (5 pages);
- 2. Petition for One Month Extension of Time (2 pages, in duplicate);
- 3. Check No. 529843 in the amount of \$55.00; and
- 4. Return Receipt Postcard.

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CERTIFICAT	ION UNDER	37	CFR §1.8

I hereby certify that the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail on this date, February 12, 2003, in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

Carrie E. Bickle

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Enclosed is Check No. 529843 in the amount of \$55.00 to cover the Petition for One Month Extension fee. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any other required fees associated with the filings submitted herewith, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1355. A copy of this Petition Sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: February 12, 2003

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RESPONSE

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Responsive to the Office Action mailed October 15, 2002, please consider the following remarks.

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